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LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

I would first like to thank the many legislators that have given us their total support since the Governor's budget proposal. They have said they will stand behind us and not allow this to happen. Please keep in contact with your Senators and Representatives as we are winning this fight.

We're happy to announce that our 2021 PA-Bred Stakes Schedule is out! Check it out in this issue of the Report. We're back in full force this year with 20 \$100,000 stakes at all three PA tracks.



The PHBA Annual Meeting will be held in person at the Kennett Square Country Club on Wednesday, May 12 at 4 p.m. Our annual awards banquet honoring the champions of 2020 will be held on Friday, May 23. This year's celebration will again be held via Zoom, hopefully for the last time. Look for invitations to both, coming your way via email soon.

Don't miss out on the best breeding program in the country. If you haven't sent your mares, don't delay. A maiden breeder award for PA-Sired PA-Breds is a whopping 50%, and 40% for all other races. Non PA-Sired awards are 25% and 20% respectively.

PA foals of 2021 have started to arrive! Send us your foal photos with lineage, foaling date and location to be included in the 2021 Foal Gallery on the website and be featured on our Facebook and Twitter accounts. Email photos and information to pabreeder@gmail.com.

As always, if you have any questions about our program or if you're interested in joining the Thoroughbred breeding industry in Pennsylvania, please call our office at 610.444.1050.

Brian Sanfratello
Executive Secretary

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JON MARSHALL - A MAN OF MANY HATS

*A bright future in breeding and racing
from an already winning past.*

BY NICOLE SHERMAN

Texan Jon Marshall is a busy man, even in semi-retirement from a hugely successful career as a top-level executive in the offshore drilling industry. In 2011 he founded a non-profit cattle ranch called Wellness Farms, Inc., a 3,000-acre sustainable farm that donates meat to local 501c3 organizations. In addition, Marshall is an avid hunter as well as a longtime owner of Thoroughbred racehorses.

Marshall experienced his first major success as an owner with multiple graded stakes winner Tricky Escape (Hat Trick-JPN). The filly was late to make it to the races but that made no difference in her career as she went on to earn nearly \$900,000 while capturing stakes on both dirt and turf. Tricky Escape became the first Thoroughbred graded stakes winner for Marshall and trainer Lynn Ashby, who is a champion Arabian conditioner. Tricky Escape's career highlights came during her 4 and 5-year-old seasons (in 2017 and 2018) with victories in the \$200,000 Robert G. Dick Memorial-G3, \$100,000 Cardinal Handicap-G3 and \$100,000 Violet Stakes-G3. Tricky Escape's first foal is a 2020 Medaglia d'Oro filly; she foaled a No Nay Never filly on March 21.

Before the success of Tricky Escape, Marshall purchased the unraced Unbridled mare Untangled at the 2009 Keeneland January Sale for \$55,000 through Cecil Seaman, agent. He then sent the 14-year-old mare to Shirley Lojeski's farm in Pennsylvania upon urging by John Servis.



Tricky Escape & her No Nay Never filly PC: Kim Pratt

"I've trained for Jon since the early 2000s," said Servis. "He had horses before, though mostly in the Midwest. I told him about the great PA-Bred program and he's really helped Shirley."

Untangled became a foundation mare for his breeding stock. The mare had been bred to Petionville five times by previous owner Everest Stables, who also campaigned, owned and heavily supported the stallion. Untangled's sixth Petionville was in-utero at the sale and became stakes winner Villette, who was trained by Servis for Virginiana. Villette captured the \$75,000 Foxy J. G. Stakes for PA-Bred fillies and mares in 2013 and finished a fast-closing second by a neck in the 2014 edition. She ultimately earned \$278,110 and is now a member of Marshall's broodmare band. Her foals include PA-Breds Double Doink (2017 filly, Ghostzapper), a \$150,000 Keeneland

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September sales yearling; Codette (2018 filly, Honor Code), and a yearling Cross Traffic colt.

Villette was a slam dunk right out of the gate for Marshall, but his success with Untangled did not end there. The mare also produced Appealing Future, who earned \$380,944 before being claimed for \$12,500 last summer. The gelded son of Successful Appeal won 10 races for his breeder, including a thrilling edition of the \$110,000 Claiming Crown Express Stakes where he held off a late charge by fellow Parx runner Brother Chub by a neck. Appealing Future has continued his winning ways with his new connections as well.

“Appealing Future had some issues early on but the starters [allowances] made him a lot of money,” said John Servis. “[Jon and I] had the same experience with Dancing Lounge [a few years earlier]. He was a great big horse who we could take anywhere.”

Marshall owned Voodoo Lounge, the dam of Dancing Lounge, for just a few years but she made those foals count. He purchased the mare for just \$5,700 at the 2005 Keeneland January Sale when she was 4. Her first foal, Voodoo’s Argument (2008 filly, Closing Argument) was twice stakes-placed as a 3-year-old. Voodoo Lounge foaled Dancing Lounge (Theatrical-IRE) the next year – he earned Marshall \$262,702 while winning eight times. Before being sold in 2011, she also produced Spooky Lady (Yes It’s True), who was sold as a yearling at Keeneland and then returned to her home state to take advantage of the PA-Bred program, where she earned \$184,590.

The future is bright for Marshall in Pennsylvania racing, especially as a breeder who sells the majority of his foals. In 2020 he had the sales topper at the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Eastern Fall Yearling Sale. The colt by Gun Runner sold for \$270,000 to Lambe Bloodstock and is now named Torpedo Run. He is out of the Stormy Atlantic mare Stormy Tak, making him a grandson of millionaire sprinter Lady Tak. The price was bolstered by a huge catalogue update when Volatile won the Grade 1 Alfred G. Vanderbilt at Saratoga that July. Volatile is out of a half-sister to Stormy Tak. The colt went back through the auction ring at the Fasig-Tipton 2-year-old sale in Florida on March 31, selling to Sean Flanagan, John Kimmel agent, for \$450,000.

Marshall was in an opposite role at the 2020 Keeneland January Sale when he purchased Electricita for \$180,000 to top Day Four of the sale. The daughter of Ghostzapper is from a phenomenal female family that is rarely offered at public auction. Historic Sam-Son Farm has proudly produced U.S. Hall of Fame member, Canadian Triple Crown winner and Breeders’ Cup Distaff heroine Dance Smartly, Queen’s Plate winners Dancethruthedawn and Scatter the Gold, leading U.S. stallion Smart Strike, U.S. champion Sky Classic, and additional Canadian champions Classy ‘n Smart, Grey Classic, Regal Classic and Hello Seattle. All of these names, and many more, are prominently featured in the pedigree of Electricita.

Just weeks ago, Marshall gained a new PA-Bred when Electricita produced her first foal, a daughter of the speedy Speightstown. The bay filly is flashy, with a lopsided white stripe down her face. The birth announcement was an exciting call for Shirley Lojeski to make, but it certainly didn’t stop Marshall from continuing his chock-full schedule.

“The most important thing to know about Jon is that he’s one of the nicest people you’ll ever meet,” said John Servis. “But he’s ‘a man of many hats’. We may not talk on the phone for months and then he’ll call out of the blue and we’ll talk for an hour – usually about everything but the horses!”



Electricita and her Speightstown filly PC: Kim Pratt

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THE PHBA DECLARES SUPPORT FOR THE SAFE ACT & WORKS TOWARD AFTERCARE REFORM

KENNETT SQUARE, Pa. - Continuing to demonstrate its commitment to the health and welfare of thoroughbreds, the Pennsylvania Horse Breeders Association (PHBA) announced its endorsement of the John Stringer Rainey Safeguard American Food Exports (SAFE) Act.

The SAFE Act, named for the late South Carolina philanthropist and former director of the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, is legislation that would permanently end the slaughter of American horses for human consumption in the United States and abroad.

It also amends Title 18 of the U. S. Code by making it illegal to “possess, ship, transport, purchase, sell, deliver, or receive ... any horse with the intent that it is to be slaughtered for human consumption,” with penalties that include fines and imprisonment.

Introduced in 2019 by Sens. Bob Menendez, D-N.J., Lindsey Graham, R-S.C., Sheldon Whitehouse, D-R.I., and Susan Collins, R-Maine, the SAFE Act has also garnered the endorsement of several prominent animal welfare groups. The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ASPCA) and the Humane Society of the United States are among those supporting its passage.

Other prominent groups that have endorsed the SAFE Act include the National Thoroughbred Racing Association, the United States Trotting Association, and the Maryland Horse Council.

“Our bipartisan legislation will help put an end to the cruel and inhumane slaughter of horses while protecting families from toxic horse meat and safeguarding the reputation of the U.S. food industry worldwide,” said Sen. Menendez when the bill was introduced.

In addition to its commitment to the health and safety of thoroughbreds, aftercare is also a top priority of the PHBA, according to president Greg Newell.

“We are doing everything we can to help place hors-



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- Hank Nothhaft

es who reach the end of their first or second career, whether they have finished racing or breeding,” said Newell. “Our Anti-Slaughter Committee, chaired by Kate Goldenberg, has done a wonderful job addressing what can be done to help our equine athletes.”

PHBA Board member Hank Nothhaft, also a member of the Anti-Slaughter Committee, said that endorsement of the SAFE Act was something the organization wanted to do to be a positive force towards improving the industry. The fact that many unwanted thoroughbred broodmares are found in slaughter pens proved to be a call to action.

“There was unanimous support from the PHBA Board to mitigate the slaughter of broodmares,” said Nothhaft. “Older broodmares, especially, are not attractive candidates for equestrian activities, and thus they are not as easy to rehome as younger horses. This has really pushed us from sitting on the bench towards getting into the fray.”

“The Anti-Slaughter Committee was formed in order to protect our broodmares, stallions, and Pennsylvania-bred racehorses that end up in the slaughter pipeline, or in bad situations,” explained Jennifer Poorman of the PHBA. “What is coming from it is so much more.”

Poorman said that the Committee has a goal to cre-

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ate a broodmare retirement program to address the need of unwanted mares.

“Our hope is to form a non-profit within our organization, to assist our breeders when the time comes when their broodmare can no longer breed,” said Poorman. “We’ll be looking to build a network of partner farms willing to assist with retirement from breeding, whether it’s a second career or permanent retirement due to physical limitations.

“We’re also creating a campaign to educate our breeders about responsible aftercare, along with providing a network of resources for our breeders to turn to at any point they find themselves in need of assistance,” she said.

“No one has been looking out for the broodmares,” said Nothhaft. “There’s lots of enthusiasm for this project moving forward.”

Nothhaft said one reason why the SAFE Act hasn’t gained traction towards passage since 2019 in Congress is because large agricultural interests fear that anti-slaughter legislation would bring undue attention to their industries,

which involve large-scale slaughter of animals for food.

“The SAFE Act is one of three items we are working on,” said Brian Sanfratello, executive secretary of the PHBA. “The others are Pennsylvania-specific anti-slaughter legislation, similar to the SAFE Act, that would make it a misdemeanor for anyone who causes or transports a horse into the slaughter pipeline, as well as a PHBA code of ethics, with sanctions for anyone who is a member or registers horses with our organization and is found to be in violation of the Pennsylvania anti-slaughter measures.”

The PHBA’s relationship with legislators in Harrisburg could have a positive impact towards the introduction and passage of a Pennsylvania anti-slaughter bill, said Nothhaft.

For additional information, contact Brian Sanfratello at 610-444-1050, or email at brians@pabred.com. Visit the PHBA’s web site at www.pabred.com.



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STATEMENT BY PA RACING COMMISSION REGARDING THE USE OF LASIX - DISCUSSION TO TAKE PLACE AT THE APRIL COMMISSION MEETING

NOTICES

STATE HORSE RACING COMMISSION

Banning Lasix in 2-year Old Thoroughbred Horses and Graded Thoroughbred Stakes Races; Administrative Policy SHRC 2021-1

[51 Pa.B. 1298]
[Saturday, March 6, 2021]

The State Horse Racing Commission (Commission), in accordance with 3 Pa.C.S. § 9312(6) (relating to additional powers of commission) of the Race Horse Industry Reform Act and 7 Pa. Code § 401.4(a) (relating to substances of therapeutic value), is authorized to adopt National standards relating to prohibited substances, uniform drug threshold levels or penalties and to regulate substances of therapeutic value, including the use of Furosemide (Lasix) in race horses.

The Commission recognizes that Lasix is helpful in the management of Exercise Induced Pulmonary Hemorrhage. In overseeing the race-day use of Lasix, the Commission has placed strict regulatory controls on the dose, route and time the medication is administered. These measures are designed to provide a complete regulation of Lasix and to prevent the misuse of the drug, including, where appropriate, the reasonable restriction on the use of Lasix.

The Commission hereby provides notice that it intends to follow the National racing standard by expressly banning the use of Lasix in 2-year-old thoroughbred horses racing in thoroughbred racetracks in this Commonwealth and banning the use of Lasix in Graded Stakes Races conducted in this Commonwealth effective April 1, 2021.

The Commission's specific administrative policy has been posted and published on the Commission's web site at
<http://www.agriculture.pa.gov/Animals/RacingCommission/commission/Pages/Publications.aspx>.

THOMAS F. CHUCKAS, Jr.,
Director
Bureau of Thoroughbred Horse Racing

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Chris Griffin Named As New Parx Announcer

Chris Griffin has been named as the new voice of Parx Racing. Following the retirement of venerable announcer Keith Jones in December, Parx launched an extensive search for their next track announcer.

“Keith was here for 34 years,” said Joe Wilson, Chief Operating Officer for Parx Racing. “This was a new process for all of us. Chris is a rising star in our industry with a tremendous work ethic. We are thrilled to welcome him to the Parx family.”



“This is my opportunity to enter a booth that saw a legend like Keith Jones call for so many years,” Griffin commented. “I am grateful to the management at Parx for this incredible opportunity. Being able to call two million-dollar races as well as several other graded races is very exciting.”

A native of Santa Monica, California, Griffin got his start as an announcer for the National Hot Rod Association. After four years of traveling the country, Chris expanded his travels internationally as the full time announcer for the Harlem Globetrotters.

While at a tour stop in Little Rock, Arkansas, Griffin’s talent captured the attention of veteran race caller Frank Mirahmadi, who was calling the races at Oaklawn Park. Mirahmadi mentored Griffin and helped secure him his first full time racing job at the Humboldt County Fair in Ferndale in 2015. He ended up calling races at the various California fair meets, Portland Meadows, Los Alamitos and Gulfstream Park West. In the fall of 2018 Griffin was named the track announcer at Sam Houston while pulling double duty as Marketing Manager.

“I appreciated my time at Sam Houston Race Park, as well as the Northern California Fairs, and other racetracks who have treated me so well,” Griffin reflected. “However, the relocation to a new region is something I am ready for. I am very excited to move to the East Coast and become the full time announcer at Parx.”

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OBS SPRING SALE OF TWO-YEAR-OLDS IN TRAINING

A total of 15 PA-Breds have been catalogued at the OBS Spring Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training, to be held April 20-23 in Ocala, FL. The under tack show runs Sunday, April 11 through Saturday, April 17. The following chart includes breeder and consignor.

Hip	DOB	Color	Sex	Name	Sire	Dam	Dam Sire	Breeder	Consignor	BC Nom
45	3/9/2019	B	F		Daredevil	Private Spanish	Spanish Steps	Moons Gate Farm LLC	de Meric Sales	Y
97	4/19/2019	DB	F	Macrelletta	Marcel	Ristretto	Medaglia d'Oro	Forgotten Land Investments Inc	Hidden Brook	N
105	4/8/2019	DB	F	Rose Legacy	Congrats	Rose Essence	Speightstown	Whysper Wynd Famr LLC	McKathan Bros. Sales	Y
127	4/13/2019	B	C		Gormley	Saratta	Flower Alley	Kathie Maybee and Gary Jemo	S B M Training and Sales	N
503	2/25/2019	B	C		Street Sense	Ball and Chain	Exchange Rate	Smart Angle LLP	McKathan Bros. Sales	Y
534	2/21/2019	CH	F		Tonalist	Bird Fu	Fusaichi Pegasus	Alex Penn and Kendra Penn	Wavertree Stables, Inc. (Ciaran Dunne)	Y
607	2/19/2019	DB	F	Chanceyswarrioreess	Declaration of War	Chancey Light	Colony Light	Peggy Dellheim and Pete Mattson	Peggy S. Dellheim LLC	N
762	2/23/2019	GR	F	Roses for Debra	Liam's Map	Essential Rose	Bernardini	Blackstone Farm LLC	Julie Davies LLC	Y
923	4/24/2019	B	F	War Fleet	Declaration of War	Impazibly Fleet	Mission Impazible	Woodford Equine Clinic Inc	Q Bar J Thoroughbreds LLC	Y
926	4/13/2019	B	C		Kantharos	Include the Aussie	Include	Henry L Hinkle	Off the Hook LLC	N
1043	2/16/2019	DB	F		Frosted	Lucky Draw	Lookin At Lucky	Blackstone Farm LLC	Wavertree Stables, Inc. (Ciaran Dunne)	Y
1072	3/3/2019	DB	C		Midnight Storm	Margarita Salt	Salt Lake	Maria M Haire	de Meric Sales	Y
1077	4/20/2019	B	C		Connect	Mary Bernice	Bernardini	Blackstone Farm LLC	Hidden Brook	Y
1150	2/20/2019	DB	C	Schranzt	Tapiture	Moonlight Basin	Eurosilver	Warrior's Reward LLC	Grassroots Training & Sales	N
1156	2/11/2019	B	F		Peace and Justice	Movie Starlet	Flatter	Steven W Young Racing dba A1A Racing & J. Bligh	Ocala Stud	Y



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The full PA-Bred stakes schedule is back!

The 2021 stakes calendar kicks off in April with two seven-furlong sprints for older runners at Parx Racing.

There are 20 Pennsylvania Bred restricted \$100,000 stakes races on the schedule, worth a total of \$2 million in purses.

Parx will host Pennsylvania's Day At the Races in August, with five stakes scheduled on the card for PA-Breds. A Gator will again be raffled off, thanks to a donation by the NTRA.

Contact the racing office or check the tracks' websites on a regular basis for closing dates, updates and changes of the 2021 schedule.

2021 PENNSYLVANIA-BRED STAKES SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, APRIL 27 PARX RACING	\$100,000 PAGE MCKENNEY HANDICAP 3 & up, 7 furlongs	\$100,000 UNIQUE BELLA STAKES 3 & up, fillies & mares, 7 furlongs
FRIDAY, MAY 28 PENN NATIONAL	\$100,000 LYPHARD STAKES 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ miles, turf	\$100,000 WITH ANTICIPATION STAKES 3 & up, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ miles, turf
TUESDAY, JUNE 22 PARX RACING	\$100,000 CROWD PLEASER STAKES 3YO, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ miles, turf	\$100,000 POWER BY FAR STAKES 3 & up, fillies & mares, 5 furlongs, turf
MONDAY, JULY 19 PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS	\$100,000 MALVERN ROSE STAKES 3YO fillies, 6½ furlongs	
MONDAY, JULY 26 PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS	\$100,000 PRINCESS OF SYLMAR STAKES 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 mile 70 yards	
TUESDAY, JULY 27 PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS	\$100,000 HARD SPUN STAKES 3 & up, 1 mile 70 yards	
PENNSYLVANIA'S DAY AT THE RACES MONDAY, AUGUST 23 PARX RACING	\$100,000 BANJO PICKER SPRINT STAKES 3 & up, 6 furlongs	\$100,000 MARSHALL JENNEY HANDICAP 3 & up, 5 furlongs, turf
	\$100,000 MRS. PENNY STAKES 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ miles, turf	\$100,000 STORM CAT STAKES 3 & up, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ miles
	\$100,000 DR. TERESA GAROFALO MEMORIAL STAKES 3 & up, fillies & mares, 6 furlongs	
MONDAY, SEPT. 13 PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS	\$100,000 FINEST CITY STAKES 2YO fillies, 6 furlongs	\$100,000 MARK MCDERMOTT STAKES 2YO, 6 furlongs
SATURDAY, SEPT. 25 PARX RACING	\$100,000 ALPHABET SOUP HANDICAP 3 & up, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ miles, turf	\$100,000 PLUM PRETTY STAKES 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ miles
FRIDAY, NOV. 26 PENN NATIONAL	\$100,000 SHAMROCK ROSE STAKES 2YO fillies, 6 furlongs	
TUESDAY, DEC. 7 PARX RACING	\$100,000 PENNSYLVANIA NURSERY STAKES 2YO, 7 furlongs	

PA-BRED STAKES RECAPS



SAND SPRINGS S.

GULFSTREAM PARK, \$100,000, 4YO/UP, F/M, 1 1/16MT, 3/27.

Won - SWEET BYE AND BYE

m, 6, Sky Mesa-Twiggles, by Maria's Mon
B/O-Joseph Imbesi (PA), T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr., J-Irad Ortiz, Jr., \$60,760

Well traveled Sweet Bye and Bye has raced on a circuit the past couple of years. New York, Pennsylvania, Florida – Joseph Imbesi's homebred turns it on no matter where she shows up. In 20 career starts, the 6-year-old mare has eight wins and placed in eight others. The Saffie A. Joseph Jr. trainee recorded her second career stakes win at Gulfstream Park on March 27.

Tackling the \$100,000 Sand Springs Stakes on the Florida Derby undercard as the even-money favorite, Sweet Bye and Bye bided her time, turned it on in the stretch and rolled home a two and a half-length winner under Irad Ortiz Jr., the nation's leading rider by wins. Her final time for the mile and a sixteenth on the turf was a solid 1:39.49, a little more than a second off the course record.

More than two and a half years had passed since Sweet Bye and Bye's first stakes win, the Crowd Pleaser Stakes at Parx in July 2018 as a 3-year-old while facing males while in the midst of a five-race win streak.

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The filly would win once at 4 – in allowance company at Belmont – in six starts, but was three-times stakes-placed, including a second in Belmont's Grade 3 Athenia Stakes. She has been Grade 3-placed each of the past three years, finishing third in last year's Noble Damsel at Belmont in September, and a second in her only other start of 2021 in Gulfstream's Marshua's River Stakes in January. Her most recent win pushed her career earnings to \$506,060.

Sweet Bye and Bye is one of two stakes winners out of Twiggles, an unraced daughter of Maria's Mon who is also the dam of Buy Land and See (by Cairo Prince), winner of the Awad Stakes at Belmont Park as a 2-year-old in 2019 and on the board in five of six career starts. Twiggles produced seven foals, six of them PA-Breds, through 2019, her final reported foal a Pennsylvania-bred Liam's Map filly named Damanda, who is now 2. ■

MAYTHEHORSEBWITHU A LATE TRIPLE CROWN NOMINEE

Michael Dubb and Bethlehem Stables' Pennsylvania-bred Maythehorsebwithu was one of nine 3-year-olds made eligible to compete in the 2021 Triple Crown with a \$6,000 late payment that was due Monday, March 29.

Based in Maryland with trainer Brittany T. Russell, Maythehorsebwithu has been first or second in all three starts this year, all stakes at Laurel Park, including a win in the Miracle Wood in February. For his career he has a record of three wins and four seconds in eight starts. The son of former Pennsylvania stallion Bullsbay, bred by Beatrice Patterson and Vicky Schowe, is a half-brother to Pennsylvania-bred stakes winners Call Paul and Pink Caddy.

There are now 335 horses eligible to compete in the Triple Crown's three race series. Any horse not nominated during the early or late phases can become Triple Crown eligible through a supplemental nomination payment due at the time of entry for each Triple Crown race: Kentucky Derby (\$200,000), Preakness (\$100,000), and Belmont (\$50,000). ■

[PRIVATE TERMS S., LAUREL, \\$100,000, 3YO, 1 1/16M, 3-13.](#)

2nd - MAYTHEHORSEBWITHU

g. 3, by Bullsbay–Avani Force, by Forestry (\$55,000 '19 FTMRL) B-Beatrice Patterson & Vicky Schowe (PA), O-Michael Dubb and Bethlehem Stables LLC, T-B. Russell, J-S. Russell, \$20,000

[RUSHAWAY S., TP, \\$75,000, 3YO, 1 1/16M, 3-27.](#)

2nd - EXTRASEXYBIGDADDEE

g, 3, Congrats–Extra Sexy Psychic, by Freud. B-Toni M Kirwan & Edward Hips (PA), O-Kirwan Equine Group, Inc, \$14,700.

[KELLY KIP S., AQUEDUCT, \\$55,000, 4 YO&UP, 6F, 3-27](#)

3rd - STORM ADVISORY

b . g. 9, by Weigelia, - Storminthewoods, by Woodman B-Epona Equine, LLC, Otto Draper & Wyn Oaks Farm (PA), O-Bone, Robert D. and Brown, Jr., Edward J., \$6,600

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